

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

AMERICAN STEAMSHIP OWNERS MUTUAL
PROTECTION AND INDEMNITY ASSOCIATION,
INC.,

Plaintiff,

-v-

ALCOA STEAMSHIP CO., INC. AND OTHER
ENTITIES LISTED ON EXHIBIT A HERETO,

Defendants.

Case No. 04 Civ. 04309 (LAK)

Rule 7.1 Statement

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 [formerly Local General Rule 1.9] and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Bessemer Securities Corporation (a private non-governmental party) certifies that the following are corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are publicly held.

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